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When Sir Herbert Roberts (the member of Parliament for West Denbighshire) received the well-deserved honour of a baronetcy, some of the newspapers mentioned the fact that maternally he was descended from the family of Hughes of Sraphle, Llanarmon. The genealogical information thus supplied was but meagre, and in some of the papers it was not quite accurate. Having in my possession a pedigree of this family, and as the descendants of Richard Hughes of Sraphle are numerous in this district, it may be of interest to publish some of the particulars.

The pedigree begins with Beli Mawr (died 72 B.C.), and carries the line down to Einon Efell (died 1196), thence to Rhun ap Einon, Kyhelen, Ieuan, Madog Goch, Madog Kyffin, Ieuan Gethin, Griffith, Gyttyn, Rhys, Morris ap Rhys, to Lewis Morris of Pantglas, Llangadwaladr, (died 1690), who married Jonett, daughter of Evan Vaughn of Lloran, and had issue (1) Morris Lewis of Pantglas (who died 1697) see "Cywydd Marwnad" by Huw Morus; (2) Edwrad Lewis of Lloran, (his daughter Mary married Richard of Penheilyn); and David.

Morris Lewis married Mary, daughter of Hugh ap Richard of Plas Yolan and had issue (1) Edward (who died within three months after his father in 1697); (2) Elizabeth married Maurice Jones of Dol in Edeyrnion, Esq.; (3) Lettice; (4) Mary (Will dated 5 May, 1728 proved 5 Nov., 1729. to the poor of which parish she bequeathed £30) (5) Hugh Morris. He married Catherine, daughter of Owen ap John of Scrogan in Llangedwin parish, and had issue Thomas Hughes of Llansilin (a descendant of this branch of the family is the present Mayor of Wrexham), and Richard Hughes of Sraphle Llanarmon, who married Catherine daughter of John Tudor of Tanygarth, Glyn Ceiriog. Richard Hughes and Catherine his wife, were among the pioneers of the Welsh Methodist Cause in the Llanarmon neighbourhood, and in consequence of their adherence to their Nonconformity they were compelled to leave the farm.

Catherine Hughes died in 1811, age 89. Her husband died in 1813 age 96, and on the Tombstone in Llanarmon Churchyard, it is stated that at the time of their death their descendants numbered 168. They had a family of nine children, viz.

1. Elizabeth (died aged 86), married Lewis Edwards, Tyntyll, Llanarmon and had issue.

1. David Edwards.
2. Catherine Edwards.
3. Edward Edwards.
4. Elizabeth Edwards.
5. Richard Edwards.

Each one of the five married and in each case they had a family of 10 children. Elizabeth and her family emigrated to America.

11. John Hughes (died aged 89), married Jane Edwards. They lived at Aelycoryn, and had issue.

1. Elizabeth. She married Richd. Edwards, Penycaenewydd, and had a family of nine children.
2. Edward. m. Eliz. Evans Llwythderuchaf, and emigrated to America.
3. Catherine d. unmarried, 1854.
4. John m. Mary Thomas, Cawhelig. They had a family of nine children, but all died infants, except two, viz. Mary m. the Rev. Hugh Jones B.A. principal of the Baptist College, Llangollen and Thomas Hughes of Llangollen, who m. first Mary, daughter of the Rev. John Pritchard, Llangollen (his daughter by his first marriage, is the wife of Mr. W.G. Dodd of Llangollen). He married as second wife Emily Jane, daughter of Mr. Edward Stephen Jones, of Llangollen, and at his death, in 1896, left by her 3 sons and 5 daughters.
5. Richard, m. Mary Daniel. They had one son, who emigrated to America, and one daughter who married..... and had seven children.
6. Jane, m. Thos. Evans of Llwythderuchaf, formerly of Caerh. They had three children, viz. Thomas, m. (6 children). John died unmarried. Jane died unmarried.
7. Ann married Morris Jones, Ty Newydd. They had one son, Edward who married twice and had several children.

111. Jane Hughes, married Thos. Hughes and had issue.

1. Morris Hughes. m. daughter of Edwd. Rogers of Nantyr, and had 12 children.
2. Thomas died infant.
3. Mary. Died an infant.
4. Catherine. Died unmarried.
5. Thomas (2) m. Mary Edwards of Hafodgynfor, and with their 13 children emigrated to America.
6. Mary. Died infant.
7. Mary (3) Died infant.
8. Elizabeth married John Edwards, Cefnisaf, and had a family of six children.

IV. Mary Hughes. married John Hammond and had issue.

1. Mary, m. Thomas Morris (9 children)
2. Barbara, m. Robt. Roberts (3 children)
3. John m. Ann Davies (10 children)
4. Elizabeth m. Richard Morris (6 children)
5. Thomas m. daughter of Morris Hughes.

Their daughter Jane married Richard P. Williams of Henhafod, and her sons are Dr. T. Hammond Williams of Oswestry, and W. Hammond Williams of San-Francisco, California..

V. Margaret Hughes. married Evan Evans Dolwen, and had issue by her four sons.

1. David, died infant.
2. David. died unmarried.
3. Richard m. (5 children)
4. Evan m. first Mary Jones (2 children) viz. Mary who married..... Jones, Tyhwnt-ir-afon (5 children) and David who married..... and had (10 children)

Evan Evans (4) married 2nd Jane Edwards and by her had 10 children viz. Ann. m..... Jones (10 children) Evan (1) died infant.

Margaret d. infant; Jane, died infant; Ellen married Lewis Edwards
twll; Catherine married.....Hughes (7 children); Elizabeth married
m Roberts. Hannah m.Hughes; Evan (2) Lived at Dolwen; Richard
d aged 12.

Catherine Evans, married David Jones of Cymlas, Glynddyfrdwy, and had issue
m, m. Hugh Hughes of Weniar. They lived at Cerley Farm, and had 7 sons
Catherine married Hoyle, London (10 children)

Mary m. Edwards, Corwen. (5 children)

Margaret m. of the Eagles Llanarmon.

Margaret Evans married Ed. Jones (11 children) One daughter m. Mr. Buckley
fn, Llanrhidian, another daughter was Mrs. Thomas, of the Woolpack,
westry.

Edward Hughes. Emigrated and settled in Oneida in America, about the year
100. Married twice. By first wife he had two daughters, both married,
d by his second wife he had eleven children.

Richard Hughes, m. Catherine, daughter of David Evans. They lived at
nybrynn, Llanarmon. and had issue.

Mary m. John Edwards, Bwlchydongau, Llansilin (10 children)

Catherine m. Edward Jones (7 children)

Elizabeth m. Griffith Jones. Cwmygeiffr (11 children)

Richard m. Phoebe Evans. Tymyfedw. He followed his father as tenant at
nybrynn. They had 8 children. John Ceirio Hughes (the great Welsh
lyric poet) being one of his sons.

David m. lived at Chwarel Uchaf (5 children)

Mary m. Edward Jones Pentrebach (7 children)

Mary Hughes, married about 1789, Mary only daughter of Edward Davies
dwyrclawdd, nr. Wrexham. He died 1850, aged 87. His widow died 1852
aged 84. Both are buried in the Dissenter's burial ground, Wrexham. They
had issue 12 children, viz.

Mary, Born 1790, died 1865) married Thomas Phennah (died 1849) and had issue
children viz.

Margaret m. Richard Griffiths of the Foundry, Rhestyllen (4 children)

Mary Ann m. David Davies.

Moses. (born 1823 , died 1908), m. Ellenot Jones of Soutley (6 children)

John.

James. Emigrated to America.

Edward.

Richard, m. Ellener Brade (one son)

Edward. Hughes (b. 1792 d. 1838) m. Ellener Jones Plas Buckley. and had
issue 4 children viz.

John, in service of Mersey Dock Board, m. twice and by his first wife
had 8 children.

Eliza emigrated to America .

Sarah.

Mary Ann emigrated to America.

Richard Hughes.(b. 1794 d. 1871), m. in 1820 Ann K. Jones (she died in 1827)
she was the founder of the well-known publishing firm of Hughes & Son of Wrexham
He had issue.

Isaac Hughes, d. unmarried 1847 aged 26.

Charles Hughes (b. 1823, d. 1886, at Bryn Hyfryd, Wrexham.) He married
1854. Catherine Billing Lewis of Penucha. Caerwys, co. Flint. she died
in 1867 leaving issue.

Caroline, m. William Evans, Esq., Chief inspector in Bankruptcy.

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2. Annie m. Walter Jeremy Thomas. Wales
3. Charles Tudor Hughes, now of Bryn Hyfryd, Wrexham.
4. Florence Hughes R.A.M. American Tour, 1915-26
5. Louisa, d. 1873.
6. Adelaid Hughes, married 1886 to her cousin J. Herbert Lewis, Esq., M.P. for Flintshire. She died in 1895.
7. Albert Llewelyn Hughes J.P. now of Plas Tirion Wrexham m. 1890 Adelaide, eldest daughter of J.F. Edisbury, Esq., of Bersham Hall. Has issue 2 daughters.
8. Eva Gladys.
9. Catherine Augusta, d. 1867.
Jemima (3rd child of Rd. and Ann Hughes) died unmarried.
John Hughes (4th child of Hugh and Mary Hughes), B. 1796. became the well known minister John Hughes of Liverpool. Author of "Hanes Methodistiaeth Cymru." He married first, Ann Jones of Tirllanerch Corwen, and had issue two sons and two daughters. His wife died in 1832, at Fairfield House, Wrexham, where John Hughes then kept a private school. He married secondly in 1833, Grace Jones of Bala, and had issue two daughters.
1. Margaret married Rev. Jesiah Thomas, M.A. Liverpool.
2. Catherine m. John Roberts, Esq., of Liverpool, and Abergale M.P. for Denbighshire. Their son is the present member of Parliament for West Denbighshire (Sir J. Herbert Roberts, Bart)
Merris Hughes, B. 1798 d. 1808.
Thomas Hughes B. 1800 d. an infant.
Mary Hughes b. 1801 d. unmarried 1854.
Thomas Hughes B. 1803 m. Ann Jones of Llangollen and had issue
1. Thos. Hugh Hughes.
2. Edward Hughes. d. 1896.
3. John Hughes.
4. Jane Hughes.
5. James Hughes.
Ellener Hughes. B. 1805 d. an infant.
Maria Hughes B. 1807 d. 1890.
Merris Hughes (2) B. 1809 m. (1829) Mary Eaton and had issue, James, Hugh, Thomas, Richard, Mary, Edward, Jane and Margaret (now wife of Mr. David Lloyd Jones of Wrexham.)
James Hughes B. 1811, m. 1st Anne the widow of the Rev. Evan Evans and 2nd the widow of Mr. Thos. Hughes of Manchester. James Hughes died in Manchester in 1872. (see Cymru Manceinien) p. 31.
Merris Hughes, 9th child of Richard Hughes, of Sraphle, lived at Park Nr. Ruthin, where he died aged 89.
The writer is aware that there are many blanks in these notes and will be glad to receive information to enable these blanks to be filled up and the pedigree kept up to date.

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